

THE WEATHER
Forecast for Portsmouth
and vicinity — Thursday
unsettled, snow; Friday
probably fair; increasing
easterly to northerly winds

THE PORTSMOUTH HERALD

SUN AND TIDE
Sun Rises..... 6:30
Sun Sets..... 6:21
Length of Day..... 10:51
High Tide 8:24 am, 7:11 pm
Moon Rises..... 3:24 am

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PRICE TWO CENTS.

WORK ON SNOW COST \$580

Figures May Reach \$1000
Before Work Is
Completed.

Up to Wednesday night the cost of removing and clearing snow by the department of public works was \$580. The department today cut down the number of sleds but much work remains yet to be done on the streets. Superintendent Barrett today stated that the last storm may cost nearly \$1000 before the department gets through on the snow. About fifty men have been employed shoveling. This number has been reduced to one-half.

Mr. Ben Greet is considered today one of the greatest living authorities on the English drama, and is world wide famous for his remarkable productions and as a teacher of the dramatic arts.

WILL LIGHT BY ELECTRICS

Sherburne Springs Station
Will Generate Its Own
Juice.

The matter of furnishing light for the power house of the public works department at Sherburne Springs was brought up before the board again on Wednesday evening and the several bids for the electric equipment opened. The bids for the electric generator came from four firms and was awarded to the lowest, Chadwick & Trefethen, for \$448. The highest figures were those of the Western Electric Company, Boston, \$102.

NOTICE
Charles Sheehan's dancing class, Monday evenings. Dancing assembly on Thursday evening. Private lessons if desired.

CONTENDS THAT HE CAN HOLD BOTH CITY OFFICES

Hon. Calvin Page Files Brief Claiming J. W. Barrett Can Serve as Superintendent and Also Serve as Member of Board of Public Works

City Solicitor Peyser Files a Negative Opinion and Judge Pike Will Render a Decision After Reviewing the Case

A controversy as to whether James W. Barrett can hold the position of superintendent of the Public Works Department and also sit as a member was put up to the court today in briefs submitted by City Solicitor Harry W. Peyser for the city and Hon. Calvin Page for Mr. Barrett. The documents make interesting reading and are herewith printed in full:

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.
Superior Court.
Rockingham, ss.
Attorney General ex rel. Harry W. Yeaton, Mayor,
v. James W. Barrett.

Now comes James P. Tuttle, Attorney General of the State of New Hampshire, on relation of Harry W. Yeaton, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth in said state, and gives the Court to understand and be informed

that James W. Barrett of said Portsmouth was duly elected a member of the Board of Public Works of said city December 10, 1912, for the term of three years next ensuing; that after said election said Barrett duly qualified and entered upon the duties of said office, and continued to discharge the same until on or about February 1, 1913, when said Barrett vacated said office of member of said Board of Public Works by accepting an office incompatible therewith, to wit: On January 1, 1913, said Barrett was elected by the said Board of Public Works to a subordinate office under the said Board of Public Works, to wit: to be Superintendent for the ensuing year in charge of the Water and Street Departments and to perform any other duties that might be assigned to him by said Board of Public Works, which office he accepted and assumed the duties thereof on or about February 1, 1913 and has ever since and up to the time of filing of this information continuously acted as such Superintendent, has performed the duties and accepted the emoluments thereof.

That said Barrett, from the time he accepted said office of Superintendent

under said Board of Public Works up to the time of the filing hereof, has used, and still does claim and use the office and franchise of a member of said Board of Public Works.

That the offices of member of said Board of Public Works and Superintendent under it are incompatible in this, that as a member of said Board of Public Works, said Barrett sits in judgment and review of his actions and expenditures as Superintendent under said Board of Public Works; that as such member of said Board of Public Works he fixes his compensation as Superintendent aforesaid, and makes rules and regulations for the government of himself as Superintendent aforesaid; and for other reasons.

Wherefore the said Attorney General prays the advice of this Court in the premises, and due process of law against the said James W. Barrett in this behalf to be made, and that he, the said Barrett may answer to the State of New Hampshire, on the relation aforesaid, by what right, warrant or authority he claims to use, enjoy, exercise and perform the franchise,

Continued on Page Four.

YOUTHFUL FIREBUGS

Two Lads of Eight Years of Age Set Fire in Commercial Alley, Which Threatened Business District --Are Boys With Records

The mystery of the origin of the fire in the shed in the rear of the P. A. Gray & Co. paint shop on Tuesday evening, was cleared up on Wednesday by Officer Shannon, when he arrested two young lads, Everett McDonald, aged 8 years, and John Russell, aged 8 years. Later the boys made a confession to Chief Dineley and the officer.

There were some signs which indicated that it was of an incendiary origin and Wednesday morning Officer Shannon who is an acting inspector, was detailed on the job. He brought in a young man, who was asked to prove his whereabouts that evening, which he later did to the satisfaction of the police and was released.

The description given by the woman who discovered the fire, was that a man ran past her, as she came into the alley, and the police were working on that theory and were unable to make any headway. Later Officer Shannon found that two boys were seen coming out of the alley and shortly after he found the two boys along with another Italian boy, and after a talk they were taken to the station, and later told all. The third boy, an Italian, was released.

The boys, both of whom have been in the Juvenile Court before, stated that they had discovered where the key to Junkins carpenter's door was left and they were trying to get in there, but jammed the key. Unable to enter this building they went into the shed and found a can, which contained

oil. They allowed it to run on the floor and at that time did not know what it was, but found out when they dropped a lighted match into it, and it immediately set fire to the shed. They ran out and in going through the alley passed the woman on her way in to Mrs. Dowd's house and they were mistaken for a man. They ran down Pleasant street and were near the postoffice when the alarm came in and immediately went back with the crowd.

The lads had previously been prowling around in the rear of Caters market on Daniel street and there secured some matches, a box of which was found on McDonald when arrested.

They had a small shanty in the rear of Achen's block where they put a part of their time and have a small heater and some cracker were found. Young McDonald is an incorrigible lad, who has been on probation for some time, after having been indicted by the Grand Jury in October, and at that time he was in Bath, Me., where he had been allowed to go to live with an aunt, by the consent of the Probation officer. His aunt died in December and the lad was sent back to this city and he was attending the Paragard school. Young Russell was before the Juvenile Court, and he was also on probation and had been doing well until within the past month.

The boys are thought to be responsible for the attempted break in the ticket office of the Atlantic Shore Line last week.

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Newest Patterns for Spring

Ginghams 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c per yard. Chambrays 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c per yard. Percales, 36 inch, 12 1-2c per yard. Kippettes 15c per yard. White Plisse 15c, 17c, 25c per yard. Light and Heavy Weight White Linen Suitings, 36 inch, 37c, 50c, 62c, 75c and \$1.00 per yard. Natural Linen, 36 inch, 20c, 25c, 29c, 39c, 42c per yard. All Latest Shades in Colored Linens, 36 inch, 39c and 50c per yard.

New Line of Lace Collars, Embroidered—Prices from 50c to \$1.50 each. Crepe de Chine Collars and Jabots, Fichus, White with Colors, \$1.25 to \$2.00 each.

Collar and Cuff Sets 50c to \$1.75.

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PUBLIC WORKS AWARD BIDS

For Two Carts and Harness to Nelson Norton and Rufus Wood.

The board of public works has awarded the contract for two tip carts to Nelson Norton of Hampton for \$90 each. Four bids were offered, three of which were from local mechanics. The harnesses were awarded to Rufus Woods for \$43 each, he being the lowest of three local firms.

FAKE STORY RECALLED.

Price, the Alleged Hotel Beat, Furnished Affidavit for Alleged Auto Accident.

It is perhaps not out of place and it certainly will interest the Dover Democrat to know that Price, the marine who furnished the affidavit as to the authenticity of that fake auto accident is the same Price that has been run out of town as a hotel beat. The public will recall that Price swore under oath that the "fake" auto story was a fact.

HELD IN ICE.

Schooner Calling for Assistance in St. Mary's Bay.

(Special to The Herald.)
Portland, Me., Feb. 19.—The schooner Herald, 499 tons, said to have from New York, is held in the ice in St. Mary's Bay. Her captain has asked for assistance and the revenue cutter Woodbury has been ordered to get to the scene as quick as possible. The vessel has no cargo.

MASQUERADE CARD PARTY

The Misses Moulton Entertain Friends in Novel Manner.


The home of the Misses Edith and Susie Moulton on Cabot street was the scene of a very merry party on Wednesday evening, the occasion being in the nature of a masquerade card party. The masked young people revelled in the detecting of their friends in their disguise. Whilst was enjoyed and great enthusiasm displayed by the fascinating scores as they increased. Miss Pearl Holt was awarded ladies' first prize and Miss Coughlin, second, while the gentlemen's first was awarded to Mr. Stewart Humphreys, and second to Mr. Harold Shaw.

Cards were followed by other games and music both vocal and instrumental was enjoyed. Vocal solos were rendered by Misses Ruth Weaver and Doris Gage; Messrs Humphreys and Davis.

Dancing was also indulged in. This was followed by refreshments of ices, cakes, candies and punch, being served by the hostess. After intermission dancing was again renewed. The party departed for their homes at a late hour declaring the Misses Moulton ideal hostesses.

Among those present were Misses Mae Coughlin, Ruth Weaver, Doris Gage, Helen Thompson, Pearl Holt, Helen Newton, Ethel Ryan, Edith Moulton, Susie Moulton, Arthur Davis, Fred Parsons, Ralph Barr, Charles Gray, Harold Shaw, Charles Lear, Stewart Humphreys, Walter Mulmolland, Russell Broomfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Robinson are visiting Mrs. Robinson's mother in Farmington.



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MANSLAUGHTER IN GRASSE CASE

Jury in Maine Murder Trial
Reports Soon After
Midnight.

Bangor, Me., Feb. 19.—The jury deliberated long tonight in the case of Rance Grasse, a lumber crew foreman charged with the murder of his divorced wife, Mrs. Nettie M. Appleby, and at 12:30 this morning returned a verdict of manslaughter.

The day was occupied with rebuttal evidence of the prosecution, the arguments of counsel and the charge of Justice King of the Supreme Court. It was 6:30 when the case was formally turned over to the jury and they were still in session at a late hour.

P. H. Gillis, counsel for the defense, claimed in his argument that the woman met her death while Grasse was attempting to wrest from her a revolver with which she had threatened to kill him.

An closing, Attorney General Wilson said the testimony showed there was no powder mark upon the body or the clothing of the victim indicating the shot could not have come at close range from a weapon held in her own hand. He also referred to an accusation of mistreatment brought against Grasse by Maria Porrens, a 12 year old niece, and suggested that the child's story had stirred Mrs. Appleby to such anger that she assaulted Grasse with a bitterness of speech that maddened him and prompted the fatal shot.

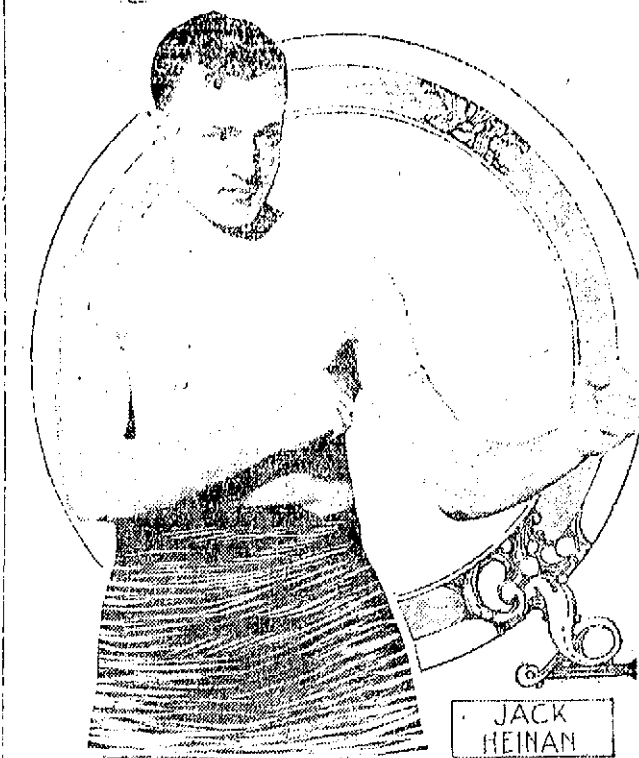
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Chicago Fighter, Who Whipped McCarthy, Now After Smith



Jack Heinan, the new candidate for heavyweight fighting honors, is here shown in his training quarters. In Jimmy DeForest's camp at Allendale, N. J., Heinan who is hot on the trail of Gunboat Smith, is a remarkably fast man both on his feet and with his fists. DeForest is an able judge of fighting men, and he is authority.

BOWLING

General Store League

There were two good games played at the Arcade alleys on Wednesday evening when team No. 1 defeated team No. 6. Team No. 6 defeated team No. 2 by a good margin.

The scores:

Team No. 1			
Kirvan	85	81	98-265
C. Williams	82	92	79-253
Blake	73	87	78-243
236 240 255 751			

Team No. 6			
Plinn	81	82	79-245
Dwyer	70	85	104-259
Brooks	67	78	88-233
221 215 271 707			

Team No. 5			
Urch	91	91	87-269
Penwick	85	93	89-258
Duffy	95	94	73-262
271 278 240 789			

Team No. 2			
Paul	70	77	96-243
Fernald	98	94	87-279
Curtis	80	78	76-234
248 249 259 756			

Hott Wins String Match

Hipold Hott defeated Brooks, both of the navy yard, at the Arcade alleys on Tuesday evening, by a score of 427 to 392.

The scores:
Hott—83, 103, 82, 79, 427.
Brooks—79, 85, 86, 73, 392.

GALLINGER BILL.

New Hampshire's Senior Senator Offers Amendment to Income Tax Law.

Senator Gallinger has introduced a bill to amend an act entitled "An act to reduce tariff duties and to provide revenue for the government, and for other purposes," approved October 3, 1913.

The amendment provides that the act "be and the same is hereby amended by adding to Section 2 thereof the following:

"And provided further that fifty per centum of the income tax collected in the state shall be paid over to the state treasurer of said state to be equitably distributed to the various cities and towns in proportion to the amount contributed by each such city or town.

THE ONLY BLIND DRUMMER

Marlow Howell, thirty-five years old who is totally blind, is the only blind commercial traveler in the world, according to a story in several papers, under a Mexican date line. Mr. Howell represents a Cincinnati manufacturing concern and travels throughout the central West without apparent inconvenience. When he arrives in a town he is taken over the business section by someone he hires. After the first trip he goes about alone, his remarkable memory of direction and location making it possible for him to follow, almost to a step, the route previously gone over with a guide.

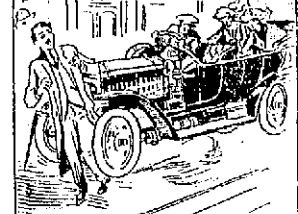
Before he leaves his firm to take the road his line of calendars is described minutely to him and each one is numbered with the raised letters used by the blind for reading. One description of a calendar is sufficient. When showing his line he describes each one so minutely it is almost amazing, and the rapidly with which he will run through a pile of a hundred calendars and find a particular one is wonderful.

Mr. Howell has been on the road many years and has made a success in his line. He has a brother who is blind who has made a success as a musician—Kansas City Journal.

A Sure-Enough Indicator

"Pretty severe snowstorm."
"Yes," replied Mr. Groucher, "Just severe enough to make it disagreeable and not severe enough to prevent a man from going to work."

WORN BRAKES



After last year's use don't you think it would be wise to have your brakes relined?

We'll warrant that your brakes now are causing you some concern because they don't stop the car as quickly as they should—so why not have them relined this winter for spring and summer use?

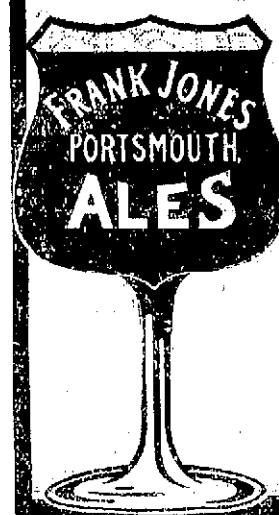
Dependable brakes mean enjoyable motoring—less accidents—more safety. We use the best brake lining materials obtainable and of course the work is done reasonably and perfectly.

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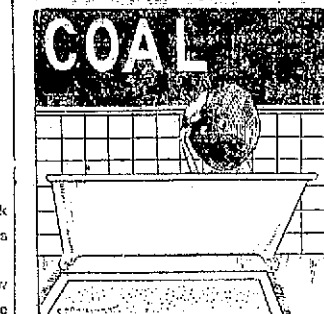
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UP STAIRS OPEN EVENINGS

KITTERY POINT

What Is Happening in the
Harbor Town.

Mrs. Daniel Redell is confined to her home by illness.

Fred Blake has taken employment at the A. S. R. R. car barn.

Mrs. Melina Lewis is recovering from her recent illness.

The Novelty Party announced to be held at the Community House on Thursday evening has been postponed until Thursday, February 26th.

Chesler Pierce is enjoying a vacation from his duties in York.

Robert Carlson has taken employment at the A. S. R. R. power house.

Luther Lewis, Sr., is confined to his home by illness.

Harry Seawards is able to be out after an illness.

Arrived—

Steamer William Chisholm, from Norfolk, Va.

Captain Zachariah Williams is suffering from a severe cold.

A telephone has been installed in the house of Roy Norton.

Walter Negus has received a call for work at the navy yard.

Mrs. Dorothy Tobey is confined by illness to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tobey.

Mrs. Bessie Clark of North Kittery passed Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sawyer.

Harold Grace of Portsmouth visited friends in town on Tuesday.

A temperance concert will be given at the first Christian church on Sunday evening, Feb. 22.

Charles Sawyer is able to be out after being confined to his home by illness.

Dr. Ingalls of Portsmouth was a visitor in town on Tuesday.

Charles Brooks is able to be out after a short illness.

Clayton Sawyer is confined by illness to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Justin Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Kent are entertaining friends from out of town.

Charles Johnson of Portsmouth has

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Dr. J. J. Gordon, a well-known Detroit Physician, says, "Musterole is invaluable in my practice and my home."



CONCORD WOMAN KILLED

Worcester, Feb. 18.—Mrs. Georgiana M. Wood of Concord, N. H., was crushed to death by an elevator at the home of her brother, Charles H. Fisher, 894 Main street. She was caught between the floor of the elevator and the top of the door on the fourth floor.

GOVERNOR AND STAFF DINE IN BOSTON

Governor Feltner of New Hampshire with his staff and ladies, dined at the Touraine last night, and afterward attended the Majestic Theatre. In the party were Governor Samuel D. Feltner and Mrs. Feltner of Rochester, Adj. General Henry E. Tuthill of Concord, Inspector General William Sullivan and Mrs. Sullivan of Manchester, Judge Advocate General E. W. Leach of Concord, Major Albert H. Lincoln and Mrs. Lincoln of Rochester, Major Charles E. Tilton, Mrs. Tilton and Miss Sybil Webb of Tilton, Major James E. Brennan of Portsmouth, Major Joseph A. Chace of Mrs. Chace of Nashua, Major Frank D. Maguire of Rochester and Captain Frank T. Ripley and Mrs. Ripley of Franklin.

DROPS DEAD AT CAUCUS

Portland, Me., Feb. 18.—James Deacon Boyd, 70, dropped dead in the Democratic caucus for ward 6 in South Portland this evening. He was a former building inspector and in

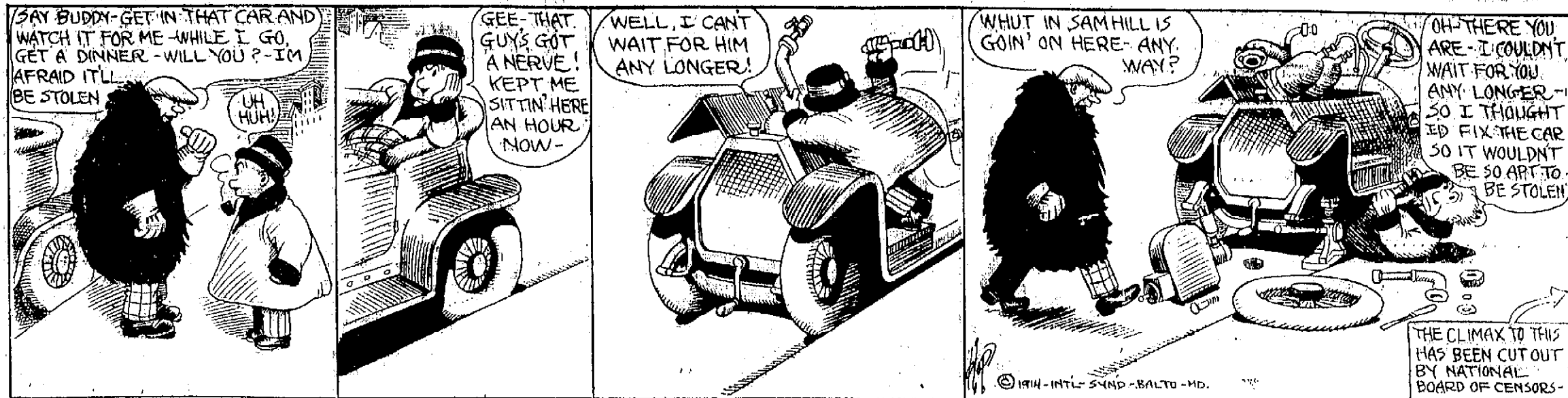


MOLLY PEARSON, The Original Bunty in "Bunty Pulls the Strings" At Portsmouth Theatre Thursday evening, Feb. 19th.

GOOP THE CUP REPORTER

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BY HOF



NURSES' CLUB ENTERTAIN WITH A DANCING PARTY

The Nurses Club connected with the Portsmouth Hospital Training school, gave a very pleasing dancing party on Wednesday evening at Freeman's hall. The hall was prettily arranged with palms etc. about the orchestra stand.

It was an invitation affair and there was a select gathering and it was a very merry party.

The patronesses were Mrs. F. J. Philbrick, Mrs. W. O. Jenkins, Mrs. S. Towle, Mrs. J. C. McDonough and Mrs. W. E. Dowdell.

The officers of the club are: President Miss Marguerite Fournier, vice president, Louisa Thistle, secretary, Miss Katherine Smalley and treasurer, Marion Dawson.

The order of dances were:

Grand March

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CASTILLO TO BE DELIVERED TO VILLA

Wachita, N. M., Feb. 18.—Lieut. Rothwell, captor of Maximino Castillo and several of his followers was expected to arrive here with his prisoners early today.

Castillo, who is accused of firing a train in the Cimbre tunnel, which caused the death of 50 persons including several Americans, will reach El Paso in the afternoon.

FORMAL MURDER CHARGE

El Paso, Tex., Feb. 18.—A dispatch from Washington, saying that Maxi-

no Castillo, the bandit leader, would be delivered to the Constitutionalists, was brought to the notice of Gen. Villa early today.

He received the news with satisfaction and said Castillo would be formally charged with the murder of M. J. Gilmartin, an American, and 50 others, at the Cimbre Tunnel.

Villa promised that the trial would not be delayed.

WHAT TO DO WITH CASTILLO

Washington, Feb. 18.—Castillo, the Mexican bandit, who wrecked the Cimbre Tunnel and caused the death of several Americans, has furnished the latest knot in the Mexican tangle with his capture by United States troops in New Mexico.

Officials of three departments of the Government were searching ar-

VALUABLE COUNTRY ESTATE IS BURNED

Jericho, L. I., Feb. 18.—The country home of Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt Jr. valued with its furnishings and art treasures at nearly \$1,000,000, was destroyed today by fire.

The only occupants were a caretaker and servants, left to look after the property.

The caretaker attributed the blaze to an overheated furnace. The fire department of Hicksville and Westbury were called, but on account of the snow-clogged roads they were unable to drag their apparatus to the scene.

The house was built last year at a cost of \$400,000 and later additions cost \$100,000 more. It had 60 rooms. The walls were hung with rare tapestries and valuable paintings.

Mrs. Vanderbilt was at her New York residence today. She had not been here since before Christmas, but the house was always kept ready for her use. She planned to come here Saturday with a house party and retinue of servants.

AMERICAN AND BRITISHER

Juarez, Mex., Feb. 18.—Two foreign ers, one a British subject and the other an American, Gustave Bouch, whose sister, Mrs. Patterson, was left with Gen. Villa. Mrs. Patterson last night entreated the general to release her brother, or at least to spare his life, but the Rebel leader declined to comply himself. Mrs. Patterson announced her intention of appealing to the Consul General today to intercede for the prisoner.

Bouch has been a railroad engineer in Mexico for many years.

The British subject arrested is William S. Benton owner of a 100,000-acre ranch west of the city of Chihuahua. He has lived in Mexico for 30 years and his wife is a Mexican woman. He was arrested on suspicion of having been connected with the Federal filibustering movement having his base on the American side and which became known last Wednesday when a detachment of filibusters escaped across the Rio Grande at Ysleta, 15 miles east of El Paso.

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MAINE SCHOONER IN DANGEROUS POSITION

New York, Feb. 18.—Word came to New York that the five-masted schooner Kline of Bath, Me. carrying a crew of 11 men, was in distress, leaning badly and in danger of sinking, north northeast of the Diamond Shoals, off Cape Hatteras.

The revenue cutter Onondaga has been dispatched to the schooner's aid from Port Monroe.

A wireless message was received here from the Savannah Line steamship City of Atlanta bound from Savannah to Boston, giving the schooner's position as 60 miles north-northeast of Diamond Shoals; the revenue cutter message and 150 miles Bath said that the schooner was making 12 inches of water an hour.

The Kline is a vessel of 1867 tons and is owned by Arthur Sewall & Co. of Bath.

Washington, Feb. 18.—At a meeting of the French Supreme Naval Council over which the Minister of Marine, M. Monis, presided, a number of important questions which were settled by his predecessor, M. Baudin, were reconsidered.

A new type of 6000-ton scout, which was adopted as a result of the last naval maneuvers off Toulon, will be replaced by a smaller type to be called a "conducteur d'escadilles," which will command more or less to a ship accompanying a flotilla.

Although at the Ministry of Marine it is stated that there is no question of delaying the execution of the naval programme, it is thought that the change of type, involving as it will the preparation of fresh plans, will render impossible the laying down this year of vessels to take the place of the three squadron scouts decided upon by M. Baudin.

The Ministry of Marine naturally prefers not to discuss the secret deliberations of the Supreme Naval Council, but in spite of this reserve it is stated elsewhere that the council was also asked to pronounce against the plans prepared for the 20,000-ton bat-

tle ship with 16 21-centimetre guns, and in favor of the cheaper type with less tonnage and 10 38-centimetre guns. On this point, however, it is stated by the Journal des Debats that the council was unable to agree to any economy, and the battleship programme remains unchanged.

Another matter reopened at this sitting of the council was the reorganization of naval training effected by M. Baudin, who dreamed in view of the lack of stability and uniformity in naval training, to form a training squadron composed of ships which, although of different age, still possess fighting value. The commander of the Comblet and the Jean Bart at the end of last year ended this reform to be put into execution. It has now been decided to return in part to the old system until the battle ships now building are ready for service.

A considerable comment has been expressed as to the apparent tendency to return to the unstable naval conditions which prevailed prior to the administration of M. Delcroix.

Electric Driven Collier Success.

The new electrically driven collier Jupiter has scored signal success on her first trip just completed off the lower California coast. Though rated as a 13-horse boat, she maintained an average speed of 15.1 knots for forty-eight hours, her electrical machinery developing 6000 horsepower. Electric propulsion is being tried by the navy for the first time on the Jupiter and the department officials are greatly pleased by the result.

The collier was in competition with the colliers Neptune, fitted with a reduction gear on her turbines, designed to effect economy, and the Cyclops, fitted with reciprocating engines. All three vessels are of the same size and similar lines and the excellence of the performance of the Jupiter may have an important bearing upon future naval design.

OLD-TIME COLD CURE—DRINK TEA!

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea, or as the German folks call it, "Hamburger Brust Tee," at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of the tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teaspoon full at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

It is inexpensive and entirely vegetable, therefore harmless. Take a look at The Herald's classified column every day. It may be of interest to you.

ELECTED UNIMPOSED BY EITHER FACTION.

Cork, Ire., Feb. 18.—William O'Brien leader of the Independent Irish Nationalists was reelected unopposed today as member of Parliament for Cork City.

He recently resigned in consequence of a speech by Augustine Roche, Nationalist member for North Louth, who declared that the Independent leader had lost his bid on Cork.

Mr. O'Brien accepted the implied challenge, and immediately vacated his seat, but the regular Nationalist party decided not to oppose him, John J. McDermott desiring to keep in the background, as much as possible, any differences between the two wings of the Nationalist party.

EDWARD C NILES SUMMONED

Concord, N. H., Feb. 18.—Edward C. Niles, chairman of the New Hampshire Public Service Commission, left this afternoon for Washington, D. C. whether he has been summoned by the National Department of Justice for consultation as to the plans for dissolution of the New Haven and Boston & Maine Railroad combination.

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HELD SMOKE TALK AT LODGE ROOMS

The members of Alpha Council, Royal Arcanum, held a largely attended and very pleasant smoker at their hall on Wednesday evening.

George H. Cutler of Boston a clever entertainer was present and he had a fine time of stories and songs and he was ably assisted by Daniel R. Beckford, D. D. H. H.

The smoker was followed by luncheon and it was midnight before many left for home.

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GOVERNMENT TO HAVE RIFLE RANGE

It is understood that the Government will establish a rifle range on the reservation on Sugarloaf avenue, secured for a motor battery.

At the last general inspection of the 15th Co., at Fort Conallation, it was announced that the work on the battery would be started this spring. Later it has been suggested that a rifle range can be laid out on the reservation and not interfere with the site of the proposed battery. The company has no range and yearly goes to Lake Umbagog at Manchester to the state range for practice.

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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Portsmouth, N. H., Thursday, February 19, 1914.

Foolish and Impracticable.

The idea of P. P. Claxton, commissioner of the United States bureau of education, that the schools should be kept open the year round will strike most people as remarkable and unsound. He recently approved a plan which would keep the schools in session throughout the year, saying that if this were done 2,000,000 children might be enlisted in vocational work. Another argument in favor of such a departure is that the boys would not be exposed to the contamination of the streets for three months of the year, as they are under the present arrangement. But while vocational training is useful and it is a bad thing to have boys exposed to street contamination, it will doubtless be a long time before the people of this country reach the conclusion that the schools should be kept in session all the year.

There are many and valid arguments against such a course. School means work on the part of teachers and pupils, and all workers need rest, whatever the nature of their work. To keep the schools at work twelve months in the year on anything like their present basis of work would be a physical impossibility. Teachers and pupils would break down by the wholesale strain and not only would the gains looked for fail to be experienced, but much of the present efficiency of our educational system would be lost under such improper and unreasonable taxation of the physical and mental powers.

Commissioner Claxton calls attention to the fact that the public schools of the country represent an investment of nearly \$2,000,000,000 in buildings, grounds and equipment, and considers it wrong for such an investment to stand idle one-fourth of the time. But it is better that it should thus stand idle and undergo necessary repairs during vacation seasons than it would be to have it grinding out the lives of the children which the school system is maintained to benefit.

That there are some defects in the American school system is admitted by its best friends. Many of the ablest minds are studying these defects with a view to their removal, which could never be done by keeping the schools open the year round. The proposition is utterly foolish and impracticable. It would never do to subject the children of the country to a test which even a steam engine could not endure.

A Distinct Loss.

The death of Percy M. Robinson, general manager of the Frank Jones Brewing Company, is a distinct loss, not only to the industry of which he was the head, but to the city of Portsmouth. No man had scored a greater success the past few years in resurrecting a large industry at such a pace as to attract the attention of the New England financial world. Although he left Portsmouth in early boyhood he had always retained a deep interest in his native city and since his return here two years ago he took a deep interest in everything pertaining to its welfare. Since returning here Mr. Robinson purchased a summer home and was preparing to erect a fine residence on Middle street in the near future. There may have been as good, but none better as a husband and a father, and the sympathy of the entire community is extended to the afflicted ones.

New Hampshire Should Be Represented.

This paper has contended for some time that Massachusetts does not own and should not control the railroads of New Hampshire. If the Attorney General is to appoint three trustees, the majority should come from this state and it behooves Gov. Felker and others to interest themselves for that object. New Hampshire should object to having the railroad controlled by men appointed at the behest of politicians. Far better that the New Haven had remained in control, than to have men of this class in charge.

All the other indictments have been quashed, but former President Mellen of the New Haven railroad must stand trial for manslaughter because of a fatal accident on the road a year ago last fall. Mr. Mellen is in a position to understand what popularity means when the pendulum swings to the other extreme. But he will not always be looked upon as such a bad man.

Death is an almost inseparable accompaniment of automobile racing. One man was killed and several persons were badly injured at Los Angeles the other day by a driver who lost control of his car. And he was merely running a practice heat. An auto on the race track is a very dangerous thing; and perhaps that is one reason why it arouses such interest.

Lovers of snowshoeing have abundant opportunity to indulge in the sport just now. And it is a healthful and an enjoyable winter pastime.

Don't forget to throw crumbs to the birds until they can get nearer to the ground than they can now.

This is winter in its season. No mistake about that.

Celebration of 182d Anniversary Of Washington's Birth Is at Hand.



Country-wide observance will be made of Washington's birthday, 1914, marking the one hundred and eighty-second anniversary of the birth of the creator of the United States of America. The accompanying illustration shows a reproduction of an etching of Washington by T. Johnson, showing how he appeared at the age of sixty, seven years before he died from the effects of exposure to cold weather and also is shown the house, Solgrave manor, in England, where Washington's forefathers dwelt and from which his great-grandfather emigrated to the colonies in 1657.

CONTENDS THAT HE CAN HOLD BOTH CITY OFFICES

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functions and powers of said office of member of said Board of Public Works.

JAMES P. TUTTLE, Attorney General.

Harry W. Poyser, Solicitor.
 STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
 Rockingham County. Superior Court.
 Attorney General ex rel. Harry B. Yedon, Mayor,
 vs. James W. Barrett.

The Answer of James W. Barrett.
 And now comes James W. Barrett, the defendant in the above entitled information and petition, and for answer thereto says that the Board of Public Works of the City of Portsmouth mentioned in said information is established under and by virtue of the Act of the Legislature approved February 24, 1909, amending the Charter of said city, and is composed of three members elected and qualified, as by said Act required, of which Board the said Barrett was elected and duly qualified a member for three years from the first day of January, 1913, and ever since has been and still is a member thereof, performing the duties as such. And he denies that he has ever vacated or resigned said office as a member of said Board in any way.

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 Suddenly some of the advertisements are so well illustrated and written that they are better reading than the news.

whatever, as alleged in said information.

And the said Barrett admits as alleged in said information that he was appointed by said Board as Superintendent in immediate charge of the Water Works and Street Department of said City and accepted said position and has performed and is still performing the duties of his said appointment as Superintendent and still claims to be a member of said Board as alleged in said information.

But the said Barrett denies that the office of member of said Board and the position of Superintendent are incompatible or inconsistent, either with the other, as alleged in said information for the reasons therein stated or for any other reason, and he denies the statements of alleged fact in said information contained on which said alleged reasons are founded, other than the facts admitted in this answer.
 Wherefore the said Barrett denies that by reason of anything alleged in said information he has vacated his office as, or ceased to be, a member of said Board of Public Works, and prays judgment of said information and that the same may be quashed and dismissed.

JAMES W. BARRETT.

RYE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Neil B. Philbrick are residing at Winter Hill, Boston, since their return from Washington.

Miss Mildred Sawyer will soon take a trip to Bermuda.

Miss Frances M. Squire of Rye Beach is a member of the Rivermouth Dramatic Club which will present "Plain People" in Association hall, Portsmouth, in March.

Messrs. Frank Peck, Ralph Perry, Burleigh Johnson and Norman Parsons conducted a most enjoyable dance in Rye town hall last evening.

The comedy entitled "The Colonel's Maid" that is to be given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church on Wednesday evening, Feb. 25, in Rye town hall, is an unusually good play. A good attendance is expected.

ANNUAL BANQUET

The George Washington and the Martha Washington Societies connected with Christ church, held their annual banquet on Wednesday evening. A turkey supper was served. Mrs. A. M. Barton, president of the Martha Washington Society, and Everett J. Marston, president of the George Washington Society were the chairmen of arrangements. Over two hundred and fifty attended.

The Very Rev. Frank Vernon, D. D., Dean of St. Luke's Cathedral, Portland, Me., gave a very pleasing address.

Adj. Gen. H. E. Tuthery, Major C. B. Hoyt and Capt. A. E. Foster will examine eight non-commissioned applicants for Major Hoyt's staff in this city Friday. The examination will be held in the armory.

WILL NOT GO BACK TO WORK

Franklin Strikers Still Out—State Board of Arbitration Cannot Act.

In regard to the strike at Franklin, Labor Commissioner John S. B. Davis has given out the following statement:

"We find in Chapter 186, Laws of 1913, an Act in amendment of Chapter 198, Laws of 1914 relating to the Bureau of Labor Section 6:—'When over in case of any such controversy or difference the employer and employees shall fail to agree to a settlement through the commissioner as provided in Section 4, then said commissioner shall endeavor to have said parties consent in writing to submit their differences to said board of arbitration.'

"On February 14, the Commissioner of Labor carried out this part of his duty in the controversy between the Salloway Mills, Franklin, N. H., and the employees of the Seamless Knitting department and has received answers from both parties, the employer agreeing (as he has from the first) to have the whole case heard before the State Board of Arbitration, provided the employees return to work pending the decision of the State Board of Arbitration. The employees, however, have made it practically impossible for the Commissioner to secure the services of the State Board of Arbitration for in their reply to the Commissioner they say:—'The strikers are perfectly willing to have the State Board of Arbitration consider this strike, but we refuse to abide by the decision of the Board of Arbitration unless the Company makes us a satisfactory offer.'

"The law controlling the action of the board says distinctly: 'The finding of said board of arbitration shall be final. Said findings shall be binding upon the parties concerned in said controversy or dispute for six months or until sixty days after either party has given the other notice in writing of his or their intention not to be bound by the same.' Again we find in the same section: 'Pending the decision of the board the business shall continue on the existing basis and the employees remain at work and said board shall render its decision within seven days after the completion of their hearing, and if said hearing is on question of wages, said decision to revert back to the date when the employees presented their demand in writing to said employer.' 'Although the Commissioner has endeavored from his very first visit to the city of Franklin to have these employees return to work and make it possible for him to secure the services of the State Board of Arbitration in this controversy it can be clearly seen that this last communication from the strikers themselves makes it impossible for him to submit their differences to the State Board of Arbitration.'

PEOPLE'S OPINIONS

Complaints of Neglect

Editor of The Herald:—
 Within sound of the bells of the city, not two miles from the post office, on Route, R. F. D., No. 2, no mail for four days. Can you beat it? No fault of the Post Office Department, but of the incompetency of the city officials. Every school boy knows that the roads must be kept open for the U. S. mails. Peverly Hill road was made barely passable Monday afternoon at 3.30 p. m. Mr. Barrett was called up but said he would get at it as soon as he could, but there was lots to do in the city or to that effect. All that was required of him was to telephone to Councilman Schurman and he would have done the rest. We have in this district 15 pairs of first class horses and good men to use them and to shovel snow. The only use the city has for anyone beyond the Spinnery boulevard is to pay taxes and vote. Collector Page is the only city official who cares anything about them, and he knows everyone by their given name. Until the past two or three years, someone has been notified to see that the roads were kept passable in the winter.

For instance, on Monday a team of four horses and a gang of men were sent out from the city around the loop. When they got as far as Mr. Redden's on Middle road, they came

WORTH KNOWING.

Out of every \$100 received by the railroads, \$40.80 is paid to the employees thereof; out of every \$100 paid for expenses, \$62 goes as wages. If it is considered that practically all of the remaining \$38 of expenses is used in purchasing material and supplies, and that a large percentage of the cost of these represents wages, it is safe to estimate that not less than 80 per cent. of the expenses of the railroads is money paid directly or indirectly, to labor.

What do you know of the Capitol at Washington?

See this space tomorrow.

CURRENT OPINION

Better Results if Voters Could Be Measured Instead of Counted.

I believe in popular government as earnestly as any one. The notion of a ruling class is abhorrent to every just principle of liberty and equality, because so long as man is selfish the few, though ever so wise, cannot safely be intrusted with unlimited power over the many and because it is intolerable that any man should rule over his fellows without their consent.

Persistent and substantial majorities, acting within the scope of their legitimate functions, are generally right, and even temporary and narrow majorities must, for all practical purposes of political society, be assumed to be right, else we should have anarchy instead of government. But the difference between ninety men and one hundred men is not so great as to confer infallibility upon the preponderant number.

Indeed, the opinions of a few men of high character and attainments, intelligently selected from almost any community, will ordinarily be a safer guide to follow than the opinions of many men chosen at random, and I cannot avoid the reflection that it might have proved of distinct advantage to the republic if some just and feasible method could have been devised whereby, when intellectual problems were to be solved at the polls, voters could have been measured instead of counted.

The time will probably never come when any one will say that the wisest judge can make shoes with the skill of a shoemaker, but the day seems not far off when many will passionately insist that any cobbler who waxes a thread is the peer of any judge when it comes to the simple matter of deciding constitutional law. But I look forward to the future in hope and confidence nevertheless, for, after all, common sense is still among the happy possessions of our people.—United States Senator George Sutherland of Utah.

RAILROAD NOTES

To a drift. They pulled in on the electric track and went around it. They done the same thing at Stand Pipe Hill. The idea of them getting off the sled. That sled will cost the tax payers \$20, with no results. Let us hope that the sun will come out and thaw out Greenland avenue. Today Charles Otis, John Hett and others have cleaned out the Peverly Hill road and are working on Greenland avenue.

There is no reasonable excuse for the delay.

C. H. JAYES

OBSEQUIES

Roger Thompson

The funeral of Roger Thompson, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Thompson was held at the home on Greenland road at 11 o'clock this morning. Rev. Lyle L. Gauthier officiating. The body was placed in the tomb of Underliker Nickerson.

Mrs. Louise M. Hatt

The funeral services of Mrs. Louise M. Hatt who died suddenly on Monday were held at her late home on Charles street this Thursday afternoon. Rev. E. T. Moulton, pastor of the Pearl street Free Will Baptist church officiated. There was a wealth of floral tributes from sorrowing friends. Burial was under the direction of Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

OBITUARY

Harry W. Fernald

Died in Rieland, Vt., February 17, Harry W. Fernald, aged 28 years. Funeral services will be held at the home of his brother, Haven Fernald, Kittery, Me., Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Boston papers please copy.

Today is the 50th anniversary of the formation of the first lodge of Knights of Pythias in Washington, D. C., and the event is being celebrated all over the country.

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NAVAL BILL MAKES NO PROVISION FOR BIG DOCK

Washington, Feb. 18.—The house naval affairs committee had before it today a tentative draft of the annual naval appropriation bill as prepared by its subcommittee, a feature of which provides for the abolition of the navy department's bureau of equipment on July 1 next. Secretary Daniels is understood to favor its adoption.

The tentative bill makes no provision whatever for a dry dock on the Atlantic coast, as recommended by the navy department.

The bill would provide not exceeding \$500,000 for an enlarged powder factory at Indian Head, Md., together with \$250,000 for other purposes there. It also appropriates \$1,500,000 for purchase and manufacture of smokeless powder.

It provides \$101,000 for entertaining officers and crews of foreign fleets at the Panama-Pacific international exposition at San Francisco next year, under the president's invitation, except from Panama canal boats foreign vessels which may pass through the canal en route to or returning from the exposition, provided the vessel is sent by its government for that purpose.

The bill authorizes the secretary of the navy to contract for government use to dry docks at Hunters Point, San Francisco, one of which shall be capable of docking the largest vessel that can pass through the Panama canal docks, for six years from its completion.

The bill appropriates \$5,000,000 for

preparing, producing and handling of advance material for armament of ships, maintenance of proving grounds, powder factory and target practice, etc. It cuts the estimates for ammunition for ships of the navy to \$3,171,000. The appropriation for torpedoes and appliances is raised from \$750,000 to \$1,000,000.

The navy department's proposal for forty welfare secretaries, who, under the general direction of the chaplains, shall be the leaders in the religious, moral and athletic welfare of the ships to which they may be assigned, was stricken out.

Among other items in the bill are: Newport R. I., torpedo station, \$80,000; repairs and preservation at navy yards and stations, \$1,000,000; deposits for fuel at Norfolk, Puget sound, Melville, R. I., San Diego, total \$400,000; for public works at yards and docks, Boston, which in the last navy bill received \$125,000, now gets only \$22,000; New York \$65,000, Philadelphia \$265,000, including \$200,000 for building slips; Washington, D. C., \$575,000, and Norfolk, Va., \$100,000 toward a \$400,000 150-ton crane; Charleston, S. C., \$150,000 toward torpedo boat berths, which are not to exceed \$300,000 and \$200,000 for other purposes; Mare Island, Cal., \$257,000; naval station Narragansett Bay, water front improvements, \$100,000; Guantanamo, Cuba, recreation building and quarters, \$38,000; Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, \$170,000, including waterfront improvements and torpedo boat slips; and naval academy buildings and grounds, \$75,000.

Court Scene in "Merchant of Venice" at Portsmouth Theatre, Friday Evening, Feb. 20



threads of a sort of glass; it is made by blowing jets of high pressure steam through the streams of liquid slag that flow from the furnaces in iron and steel mills.

Great quantities of this queer wool are used on battleships. The substance protects equally well from heat and from cold. It is such an extraordinary non-conductor of heat that it covers the refrigerators and cold-storage chambers, as well as the explosive stores. In the dockyards the workmen who pack mineral wool in the proper spaces on the ships have to wear masks, in order that they may not inhale the sharp, needle-like particles which would seriously injure the delicate tissues of the throat and lungs.—Youth's Companion.

UNDERWEAR A NECESSITY
It's All Right to Talk About it in Mixed Company—Because it's for Battleships in this Case.

Beneath its right coat of mail the modern battleship wears, curiously enough, undergarments made of a material that is derived chiefly from the cocoon.

The necessity for the battleships' undergarments proceeds from the fact that the fighting machine is really a very delicate thing. In order that certain portions may not become too cold and others too warm, the vital parts of its anatomy must be clothed with special coverings. The draughts are excluded from stem to stern in a suit of underwear to protect them from water and from fire. If it were not so, the shot that pierces the side of the vessel would immediately cause the entrance of water and destruction of the ship.

The actual constitution of this protective underwear is a matter of great secrecy. For the most part, however, it is made of cellulose, which is obtained from the fibrous rind of the cocoon. Cellulose possesses the peculiar properties of swelling when brought into contact with salt water. It follows therefore that the amount of water poured in a hole in a ship's side that cellulose expands and closes the aperture. The cellulose must be treated, of course in order that it may be fireproof.

It is also necessary to clothe the battleship and steam pipes with jackets. In order to prevent the waste of fuel, sometimes there are made of ordinary blanketing sometimes of a fibrous clay-like composition, or sometimes of glass-encased wool. Still other materials are mineral wool. However a great battleship is more likely to suffer from the effects of heat than of cold. There is always danger that the powder magazines may become overheated.

In the latest type of fighting ships a thick coating of mineral wool surrounds the stores. This wool gets its name from a slight resemblance to real wool. It is simply a mass of snowy

threads of a sort of glass; it is made by blowing jets of high pressure steam through the streams of liquid slag that flow from the furnaces in iron and steel mills.

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
In Shakespeare's Play, "The Merchant of Venice," as Presented by the Ben Greet Players in Their Lyceum and Chautauqua Tours.

The following is the cast of characters in the Ben Greet Players' production of Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice":

"The Duke of Venice".....Charles Hanna
"The Prince of Arragon".....Perceval Vivian
"The Prince of Morocco".....Charles Hanna
"Antonio (the Merchant)".....Erskine Stanford
"Bassanio, his friend".....Robert Stevens
"Gratiano".....Harry Joyner
"Lorenzo".....Bryce Oliver
"Salanio".....Albert Carroll
"Shylock".....H. Royer Smith
"Shylock's Jew".....Leslie King
"Tubal, a Jew, his friend".....Bryce Oliver

"Balthazar".....Dorothy Conrey
"Old Gobbo".....Bryce Oliver
"Launcelot, his son".....Perceval Vivian
"Stephano".....Ward Puckett
"Clerk of the Court".....Perceval Vivian
"Portia".....Grace Halsey Mills
"Nerissa, her attendant".....Lillian Leach
"Sir Leo or Anne Thompson".....Jessie, Shylock's daughter.....Dorothy Conrey

The scene is laid in Venice.
Part 1. In Venice.
Part 2. In Belmont and Venice.
Part 3. In Belmont.
Part 4. In Belmont.

Ben Greet writes of this play as follows:

"Most of the play is here acted—the parts of the dialogue cut are the least important, and the doubling up of some of the characters between a company of limited numbers helps to illustrate the way it was done on the Elizabethan stage. This comedy, written about 1596, has retained its popularity from the time when Richard Burbage first essayed the part of Shylock, which was evidently conceived and carried out in a humorous vein—the epitaph on Burbage's grave designating him as the 'red-headed Jew.'"

"For the highest form of poetry, for exquisite and elevating thought and philosophy, we have here the perfection of drama in all its forms, of plot, underplot, construction, accumulative interest and intensity; and, best of all, its humanity and picturesqueness; for these reasons this comedy will endure in the crack of doom."

"There are supposed to be those who would have its study removed from our schools. It were pitiful that any fancied feeling of resentment towards our great dramatist should influence this act; because no offense can possibly be read—even between the lines—either to Jews or Christians, both of whom are represented as citizens of a great universe, struggling as we do now, in commerce, for the mastery of the market. If one felt inclined to take offense, the Christians have more occasion than the Jews; for several of the characters are more than ordinarily human, and certainly very commonplace. Rather let us look upon the play as the most perfect blending of our common natures, and that our earthly desires can only be granted when they bear the imprint of the finger of God."

See this attraction at Portsmouth Theatre on Friday evening, Feb. 20.

BOSTON OPERA COMPANY

The arrival of Felix Weingartner

and his gifted wife, Lucille Maccelly Weingartner, the first appearance of the present season of Maria Gay and Giovanni Zenatelli; and the farewell of Mary Garden, will mark the coming week at the Boston Opera House.

The current week will end with a performance of "Madama Butterfly" with Miss Maggie Teyle in the title role, at full popular prices, instead of the semi-popular scale previously announced; on Saturday evening Feb. 21, Next week will be opened by an operatic concert on Sunday evening, in which Miss Teyle will appear, assisted by Mme. Berlin, and MMs. Dargos and Tanlongo.

The first opera of the week will be Fevri's "Mamma Vanna" on Monday evening, Miss Garden will assume the title role, Mr. Marcoux will be the Guido, Mr. Montatore the Prinsivale, and Mr. Ludlar the Marco; with the same excellent supporting cast as at the early performances of the season; Andre-Caplet will direct.

"Il Trovatore" will be sung on Wednesday night, with Mme. Gay as the Azucena and Mr. Zenatelli as the Maureto; Miss Amsden as Leonora and Mr. Ancona as the Count; with Mr. Moranzoni conducting.

The master piece of Italian opera, Verdi's "Otello" will be performed on Friday evening, under the baton of one of the world's greatest conductors Felix Weingartner. A performance worthy in other respects to assure by the announcement that Lucille Weingartner will be the Desdemona, Mr. Zenatelli the Otello and Antonio Scotti the Iago.

"Mamma Vanna" will be given for the last time this year at the Saturday matinee, with the same cast as before; the occasion will also signalize Miss Garden's farewell for the season.

"Samson at Dailia" will be offered at semi-popular prices on Saturday evening, Mme. Gay will be the Dailia, Mr. Zenatelli the Samson, Mr. Dargos the High Priest, and Mr. Ludlar the Old Hebrew. Andre Caplet will direct.

A NEW BRAKE RECORD

Some interesting data on railway brake tests shows that a train of 12 steel cars going at a rate of sixty miles per hour can actually be stopped within its own length. A train of this weight stops up 224,000,000 feet-pounds of energy. This is sufficient to raise the entire train 120 feet. With prevailing brake equipment such a train would be stopped by an emergency application in a distance of 1500 to 2200 feet, according to the truck rigging and brake-shoe design. Tests conducted jointly by the Pennsylvania Railroad and Westinghouse Air Brake Company showed that this distance has actually been reduced to 1000 feet, or to within the length of the train.—American Machinist.

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WILD FOWL BEING STARVED TO DEATH

(New York, Feb. 18.—The pitiful spectacle of thousands of wild ducks, dying of hunger has aroused the residents of Sayville 651p, Brookhaven and other Long Island towns on the Great South Bay to action, and daily they are taking large quantities of food over the ice-covered bay to the fowl.

During the recent zero weather the Great South Bay became covered with heavy ice, and the recent snowfall has placed three feet of covering over the ice. There is but one alshole, several hundred feet in circumference where the wild duck and geese can feed, and thousands of the starving fowl have gathered at this place. On the ice near the air-hole are hundreds of dead birds.

Those of the ducks still able to fly show unusual signs of tameness, and at many points along the shore, where there are duck farms, the wild fowl go into the inclosures with the tame ones and feed with them.

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FOUND GUILTY OF DEFRAUDING GOVERNMENT

San Francisco, Feb. 18.—After delib- erating for more than eight hours, a jury in the United States Court in the case of the Western Fuel Company of fields and employees early today found three of the four defendants guilty as charged of defrauding the Government out of customs duties on imported coal. These found guilty were F. C. Mills, superintendent, James H. Smith, vice president and general manager, and R. H. Mayer, warehouse manager. Edward J. Smith, checker, was acquitted. He is a brother of the general manager. At midnight today the jury returned its verdict. The trial reached and the jury room was reached by those who had waited outside four blocks in the afternoon, when the jury retired. Both Mills and R. H. Mayer were visibly affected when the foreman of the jury announced the verdict. James H. Smith appeared entirely unconcerned. The attorneys announced a new trial would be asked for at once.

It was said that two of the jurors held out for acquittal until the final ballot. The first indictments were brought by the United States grand jury, Feb. 10, 1913 and charged that

the defendants entered into an understanding to defraud the Federal Government in three ways:

First, by causing false weights and measures and fraudulent returns of weights on the incoming cargoes at their coal for the purpose of lessening the amount of duty collected.

Second, by causing the returns of weight on all outgoing cargoes delivered into American bottoms to be grossly excessive in weight, making the customs drawback much greater than the duties that had been collected on the same coal.

Third, by grossly overweighing the coal delivered to the United States Navy depots.

A second set of items repeating the charges was returned by the grand jury June 28, two dates after John L. McKah, United States District Attorney at San Francisco, had been elected to succeed Edward J. Smith, checker, who was acquitted. He is a brother of the general manager. At midnight today the jury returned its verdict. The trial reached and the jury room was reached by those who had waited outside four blocks in the afternoon, when the jury retired. Both Mills and R. H. Mayer were visibly affected when the foreman of the jury announced the verdict. James H. Smith appeared entirely unconcerned. The attorneys announced a new trial would be asked for at once.

The last evidence was taken Feb. 13, one year after the first indictments were brought and two months after the trial opened.

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ISSUE WARRANTS FOR STATE TAX

Clerical Error in Act Fixing Amount Rectified by Attorney General.

The announcement yesterday that State Treasurer Farrand had issued the warrants levying the state tax for the new fiscal year 1914-1915 on the apportionment among the cities and towns made by the legislature of 1913 was of considerable moment to many towns, by a clerical error the act fixing the amount of the tax, provided that it should be levied according to the apportionment of 1914.

Attorney General Tuttle, advised the state treasurer that the intent of the legislature to establish a new apportionment was plain and should be carried out.

Decision Makes Vast Change.
How the decision affects the cities of the state is shown by the following tabulation:

	1911	1913
Concord	\$51,736	\$17,992
Manchester	129,920	139,752
Nashua	45,660	42,440
Dover	30,556	24,560
Portsmouth	30,264	24,368
Rochester	15,976	13,744
Somersworth	12,160	10,352
Franklin	10,336	10,616
Lancaster	16,594	17,920
Keene	21,496	18,720
Berlin	14,568	14,784

The assessments since 1909 have been: 1909, \$300,000; 1910, \$600,000; 1911, \$700,000; 1912, 1913, 1914, \$800,000.

The 1913 apportionment act was the basis on which the tax was assessed. This act was passed by the legislature and approved April 22, 1913. At that time the bill fixing the amount of the tax for 1911 and 1912 was held until something definite was known regarding the appropriations then under consideration.

Legislature Makes Blunder
This bill was acted upon later and approved by the governor on May 21, but the provision for the use of the old apportionment of 1913 was not removed when the bill was returned from the committee.

The act creating the tax commission provides that one of the duties of the commission shall be to equalize valuations of towns and cities in the year 1912 and every second year thereafter, so that any public taxes

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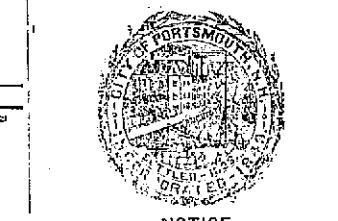
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that may be apportioned among them shall be equal and just between them."

Since 1911 the valuation of several places in the state has been increased greatly by the state tax commission. The town of Windham for example, under the apportionment of 1911 pays a state tax of \$1464. Under the apportionment of 1913 it must pay \$11,200. The total state tax to be levied is \$800,000.

RESULTS OF MILK, CREAM, BUTTER AND CHEESE SHOW

The milk, cream, butter and cheese show held in Concord in connection with the 29th annual meeting of the Granite State Dairyman's Association was the largest ever held in the state. The exhibits numbered 192 entries, 55 entries of butter, 28 entries of milk and cream and 9 entries of cheese.

The butter was judged by C. W. Fry, of Washington, D. C., and the milk and cream by Ernest Kelly, Washington, D. C. Both judges are experts connected with the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The judges have marked on the score card the faults of each sample, if any.

The secretary of the Dairyman's Association, Fred Rasmussen, Professor of Dairying, New Hampshire College, will send a letter to each exhibitor, enclosing the score card and giving suggestions as to remedying possible faults of the products.

The exhibits as a whole ranked high in quality. The following is the result of the very close competition:

Total number of exhibits in show, 192.

Total number of exhibits of butter, 54.

Class 1—Dairy Tubs.

1st, Henry C. Smith, Plymouth N. H. Score—94 1-4.

2nd, Roscoe F. Swain, Hampton Falls. Score—94 1-2.

3rd, Austin P. Huggins, Sugar Hill. Score—91.

Class 2—Dairy Print.

1st, Balsam Stock Farm, Dixville Notch—95.

2nd, John M. Pulsifer, Plymouth—94

3rd, Tied between Upham Farm, Peterboro, and Monadnock Farm, Monadnock—93 1-4.

Class 3—Creamery Tubs

1st, Mawhawk Dairy, Colebrook—93 1-2.

2nd, David A. Traynor, Littleton—92 1-2.

3rd, Swiftwater Creamery, Woodsville—92.

Class 4—Creamery Print

1st, Cornish Creamery, Cornish Flat—96.

2nd, Tied between North Stratford Creamery, No. Stratford and Lyme Creamery, Lyme—92.

3rd, Sautborn's Creamery, Leavitt's Hill—91.

Class 5—Creamery Sweep Stakes (\$50.00 Cup)

Cornish Creamery Cornish Flat.

Class 6—Dairy Sweep Stakes 50.00 Cup

Balsam Stock Farm, Dixville Notch.

Milk and Cream Exhibit

Class 7—Inspected Milk—Granite State Dairyman's Silver Cup.

1st, Middlebrook Farm, Dover—96.25.

2nd, Fred A. Lovering, Manchester, 92.4.

3rd, St. Paul's School, Concord—89.9.

4th, Louis C. Beane, Portsmouth—88.25.

Class 8—Market Milk—State Grange Cup for this year.

1st, Warren Brown, Hampton Falls—93.4.

2nd, Upham Farm, Peterboro—92.75.

3rd, Tied between Kaolin Farm (near) Thornton's Ferry, and F. E. Garvin, E. Weare—92.25.

Class 10—D. Whiting & Sons, Milk Producers

1st, Wm. J. Cross, Amherst—93.25.

2nd, Joseph Huggins, Peterboro—92.5.

3rd, Percy E. Bancroft, Claremont—91.1.

Class 11—Cream Silver Cup.

1st, Sawyer Farm, Gilford—91.9.

2nd, P. O. Melvin, Bradford—93.65.

3rd, John W. Bourlet, Concord—93.4.

2nd, Henry C. Smith, Plymouth—95 1-2.

3rd, Henry M. Stickney, Plymouth—95.

Class 13—Sage Cheese

1st, Joseph W. Pulsifer, Plymouth—97.

2nd, Henry M. Stickney, Plymouth—96.

3rd, George E. Pulsifer, Plymouth—95 1-2.

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AN ANECDOTE OF LINCOLN

A day in May, 1863, found Lincoln

visiting a camp hospital. He had spoken

cheering words of sympathy to the

wounded, as he proceeded through the

various wards.

Now he is at the bedside of a Ver-

mont boy of about sixteen years of

age, who lies there mortally wounded.

Taking the dying boy's thin, white

hands in his own, the President said

in a tender tone: "Well, my boy, what

can I do for you?"

The young soldier looked up into

the President's kindly face and asked:

"Won't you write to my mother for me?"

"That I will," responded the Presi-

dent, and, calling for writing materi-

als, he seated himself by the side of

the bed and wrote from the boy's dic-

tation. It was a long letter, but he

betrayed no sign of weariness, and

when it was finished he arose, saying:

"I will post this as soon as I get back

to my office. Now is there anything

else I can do for you?"

"The boy looked up appealingly to

the President. "Won't you stay with

me?" he asked. "I do want to hold on

to your hand."

Mr. Lincoln at once perceived the

lad's meaning. The appeal was too

strong for him to resist; so he sat

down by his side and took hold of his

thin hand. For two hours the Presi-

dent sat there patiently, as though he

had been the boy's father.

When the end came, he bent over

and rebled the pale hands over the

young soldier's breast, and left the

hospital in tears—Christian Herald.

EX-QUEEN REVISITS PALACE

Liliuekalani, Guest of Hawaiian Gov-

ernment, Welcomes in Capital for

First Time in 20 Years.

Honolulu, Feb. 18.—For the first

time since her Government was over-

thrown, 20 years ago, Ex-Queen Liliue-

kalani entered yesterday the old pal-

ace, her former home. The building

is now the Territory's capital, and on

the grounds in front of it 12,000 per-

sons participated in a dance, to cele-

brate the opening of a week's carnival.

From time to time, as the exercises

proceeded the ex-Queen was seen to

wipe tears from her eyes, but she said

she had enjoyed the occasion and re-

joiced over Hawaii's prosperity. She

will be a guest of honor at various

events during the week, with Gov.

William King and the Army and Navy com-

manders, Brig. Gen. M. M. Macomb and

Brig. Admiral C. S. T. Moore.

BREAKS WAY TO NANTUCKET

Mails and Provisions Landed on the

Island for First Time Since Friday.

Nantucket, Feb. 18.—Mails and provisions were landed here today for the first time since Friday. The steamer Sankaty forced her way through the ice fields into the harbor. After coal-

ing, the Sankaty will return to Wood's Hole and will not attempt to reach here again until the ice has cleared.

PRIZES ARE AWARDED

Prof. Mitchell Gives Demonstration in Killing Poultry.

New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H., Feb. 17. Cutting the chicken's heads off with a hatchet, penetrating its carotid artery or by wringing its neck, is barbarous, antiquated, and entirely unscientific. Professor R. V. Mitchell at the second annual poultry day here today gave a demonstration in killing. The Mitchell way is to carefully insert a small bladed knife into the chicken's mouth, piercing a particular portion of the fowl's brain, not only stunning and killing, but so loosening the feathers that the scalding process is not necessary. Chicken preparation is by the Mitchell method, reduced to stinging and drawing.

More than one hundred New Hampshire, by J. Busbaum, and heard Mrs. Mitchell in his numerous pursuits and listened with great interest to an address on the preparation of live and dressed poultry for the Boston market, by J. Busbaum, and heard Mr. C. B. Conn describe what the marketable egg is and saw him candle eggs. Other addresses were, Incubation, brooding and feeding young chicks, by Prof. Mitchell; Collecting and marketing poultry products, by J. C. Deane of South Newbury, N. H.; and feeding, housing and breeding for egg production, by C. W. Toley of Temple, N. H.

The eggs were judged by Prof. Mitchell and the following awards were made:

Individual exhibits of one dozen white eggs.

First prize—J. T. W. Ham, Dover, N. H.; second prize, G. H. Hubbard, Franklin, N. H.; third prize, Hildre Farm, Nashua, N. H.

Individual exhibits of one dozen brown eggs.

First prize, Ira S. Littlefield, New London, N. H.; second prize, E. A. Hubbard, Franklin, N. H.; third prize, Hildre Farm, Nashua, N. H.

The silver cup for the best display of brown eggs was awarded to Ira Littlefield of New London, N. H.

Mr. J. S. Prescott of West Ridge, N. H., entered an exhibit for the M. L. Ware Grange, which received first prize for general exhibit.

SALTS FINE FOR ACHING KIDNEYS

We Eat Too Much Meat which Clogs Kidneys Then Back Hurts and Bladder Bothers You

Most folks forget that the kidneys are the body's great excretory system, and need a flushing action.

Usually, also we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headache, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with bicarbonate and is harmless to back clogged kidneys and stimulates them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acid in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless, inexpensive, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

SHEEP AS WARMING PANS

The high temperature of birds enables them to resist cold more effectively than they could otherwise do. Whereas blood-heat in man is 98.1 deg. Fahrenheit, it is 107 degrees in the domestic fowl, and more in some other birds. Nevertheless, they feel the cold very much and display a remarkable amount of ingenuity in finding means to warm themselves.

One very cold day in February, 1896, a gentleman in Berkshire was surprised to see a robin drop from a bush, and perch upon a rabbit which had just fallen to his gun.

He did not understand the bird's motive at once, but when more rabbits were shot and laid together the robin showed clearly enough what he wanted by crowding among the warm carcasses. The most notable feature of the case was that this intelligent robin followed the shooting party all day, and they, having learned what the small bird desired, took care that he should enjoy it whenever game was killed. In the winter of 1912 a farmer in the uplands of Lancashire observed a number of chaffinches entering an outhouse where bullocks were

shed. He went in and found them feeding on the reposing bullocks. Birds are fond of using sheep as warming pans, regardless of the risk attendant. Snuggling down into the long wool, they are apt to get their feet entangled when the result may be starvation.—4th-11th.

WHITE HOUSE DENIES REPORT

Miss Margaret Wilson Not Engaged to Boyd Fisher of Kansas City.

Washington, Feb. 18.—Publication of an official denial of a report that Miss Margaret Wilson, the President's eldest daughter, was engaged to be married to

March Delineator

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Don't forget the big Discount Sale at Messers Brothers until March 1.
John H. Dowd's Marble and Granite Monumental Works, 52 Market Street.
Read how to save money on pyrograph goods in Montgomery's adv. tonight.

Ben Greet Players in the "Merchants of Venice" at Portsmouth Theatre on Friday evening.
"Cranberry Corner," the farcical comedy takes place this evening in Greenland town hall.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. B. Jameson & Sons, Tel. 653.

The Rogers' Mission Band will hold their entertainment and sale at the chapel this Thursday afternoon and evening.

The sudden death of General Manager P. M. Robinson of the Frank Jones Brewing Company was the principal theme of conversation today.

The Herald will continue its policy of not breaking faith with the men engaged in handling business deals until the trades are closed.

Already there is commencing a shortage of 1914 Cadillac autos. The Cadillac and Ford are the only auto plants in Detroit working full time.

There will be a meeting and tea at Miss Hovey's State street, of the Equal Suffrage League at four o'clock, Friday-February 20th.

Portsmouth will be represented at the reunion of the Boston Sons and Daughters at the reunion and banquet held at the Bellevue at Boston tonight.

The Parents' Association of the Furman school will meet this Thursday evening and will be addressed by Dr. F. S. Towle on the "Prevention of Disease."

Work left with the late Charles N. Holmes on Penhallow street can be found at William Horne's, 33 Daniel street, sawyer, locksmith, umbrella repairing, grinding, etc.

The more you buy the more you save on burial wood goods now at Montgomery's.

When the Marden house burned at Rye there was an automobile in the barn. The body and frame was literally melted to pieces. The motor was protected by the copper water jacket, so by putting in new babbit bearings it is doing fine work today. The Cadillac uses the best material in the world.

PERSONAL ITEMS

Jelknap S. Weeks took an auto trip to Boston last week.
Mrs. Albert O. Shaw is spending a few days in Boston.

Ms. Sarah Weeks has returned from East Kingston.
William E. Beck spent Friday and Saturday in Manchester.

Mrs. Rhoda Hayes is spending a few weeks in Providence.
Miss Mollie Caswell of Brighton, Mass., is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Nellie B. Foster is the guest of friends in Worcester, Mass., for the week.
Dr. William O. Jenkins will not sail for Porto Rico until Friday, February 27.

Mrs. Hencetta Brackett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Hoyt in Melrose.
Mr. and Mrs. John V. Brackett of Attleboro, Mass., are passing the week in town.

Miss Ethel Ferguson of Manchester, Mass., is the guest of Miss Laura Waldron.
Mrs. Alice Hatch, Mrs. John E. Gardner and children have returned to Chicago.

Miss Pauline Wentworth of Brookline, Mass., is the guest of relatives in this city.
The Home Mission Society of the Congregational church met with Miss Lillian Odell.

Miss Mabel J. Davis of State street is the guest of Miss Hortense Emery of Auburn, Me.
David A. Wasson has a story in the Technical World Magazine for March entitled "The Sailor's Luck."

Mrs. Edward Frederick of Dorchester is passing the week with Mrs. Frank Leary of Middle road.
Mrs. Pauline, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Henry Packer has returned to Newtonville, Mass.

The drama "Cranberry Corner," will be given next Thursday evening under the auspices of the Helping Hand Society.
Mrs. J. Albert Townsend of North Weymouth, Mass., is visiting her sister Mrs. William Kimball of Islington street.

One Kramer of Boston, formerly manager of the suit department at the G. B. French Company, was in this city on Wednesday.
Alfred Gray, who graduates from Bowdoin College next June, has been making a brief visit to his home in this city. Mr. Gray will study medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hilliard, Mrs. Howard T. Rindlett and Mrs. Arthur Durrell of Lynn, Mass., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Brackett recently.

REV. I. F. BARNES ACCEPTS CALL

Former Pastor of Advent
Christian Church to Re-
turn on March 15.

The Rev. Irving F. Barnes of Bridgeport, Conn., and a former pastor of the Advent Christian church of this city has accepted the call tendered him, to again become the pastor of this church, and will commence his pastorate Sunday, March 15, 1914.
Mr. Barnes leaves his church in Bridgeport in a good spiritual condition but with deep feeling for the many friends he has made during the period of three years and also for the welfare of the church in the future.

He showed his talent here last November in the series of Prophetic and Historic lectures given by him at the Advent church in this city which stands high to his credit. His reasoning was clear and to the point, so that every one could understand what he meant. All these meetings were attended by large audiences, which speaks well for Mr. Barnes.

We are glad to welcome such a man as Rev. I. F. Barnes to become our pastor after he has so thoroughly shown what he is, and for what he stands which is the truth, "The Word of God."

NAVY YARD NEWS

Naval Orders

Lieut. Commander C. H. Fisher detached the Tennessee home wait orders.

Lieut. G. Joerns, detached the Buffalo, home, wait orders.

Ensign G. W. L. Hewlett detached the Tacoma to the New Jersey.

Ensign J. P. Dalton detached the Arkansas to temporary duty the Constellation.

Ensign H. Hotchkiss, detached the receiving ship at New York to the Salem.

Ensign C. D. Walker detached the Tennessee, March 17, home and wait orders.

Vessel Movements

The Lawrence, Farragut, Goldsborough, Hull at Sausalito.

The Cyclops at Hampton roads.

The San Francisco has sailed from Cape Haytien for Guayama bay and Vera Cruz.

The Chester from Vera Cruz via Mobile.

The Jupiter from Santa Barbara channel for San Francisco.

The Hancock from Pensacola to New Orleans.

The Monaghan, Clusser, Preston, Reid, Sterrett, Terry from Key West for Tampa.

The Tallahassee will leave Norfolk February 19 for Washington.

After the Mardi Gras celebration at Mobile, the Prairie will proceed to Pensacola, then to Vera Cruz.

The Mayflower has been ordered to Vera Cruz.

General Electrician Reports

Rufus E. Wilson of Norfolk has been appointed general electrician on the collector fleet and reported for duty on that vessel today.

Bureaus and Cases

The department has authorized the manufacture of 30 secretary bureaus and 30 toilet cases for torpedo boat destroyers.

Cut for the Boston Yard

The appropriation of \$122,000 for the department of public works at



For Wednesday and Thursday

The Queen's Jewel—A tale—Two reels. An absorbing story of plot and intrigue, in which a dashing courtier after a series of thrilling incidents, saved the queen from dishonor by recovering a jewel she indiscreetly gave him.

Prince—Kay-Roe. A story of great heart interest, in which a coach dog, the pet of a fire station, plays a very important part.

A Military Judas—Bognocho. A Civil war drama in three reels, wherein a young army officer, through an act of brotherly love, wins for himself a high rank and also a wife.

A Sorority Initiation—Alajestic. Mary's father is in prison and when the girl's fraternity decries that she shall spend a night in the haunted house it develops that she gets evidence sufficient to free him.

Miss Margaret Pearson Sings: "High Jinks" and "The Kelly's Are At It Again."

Matinee 2.30. Evening 7.00. Saturday Evening 5.30.

Special for Friday and Saturday: "The Secret of the Old Cabinet"—Three reels. Strongly dramatic and sensational photo-drama, with love element and excitement.

The Charlestown navy yard called for the naval appropriation bill, has been cut by the committee to \$22,000.

Three Rejected

Three young men from Newmarket appeared at the yard recruiting office today for enlistment. They each failed in the examination and were rejected by the recruiting officer.

Up to the President

President Wilson will decide the fate of Midshipmen McClure, Hungert and McGowan, involved in charges of irregularities in a marine engineering examination at Annapolis. Secretary Daniels sent the case to the White House on Wednesday and some announcement may be made Friday.

They Are Out of It

Advance information has reached the yard from Washington to the effect that no increase in wages will be granted the clerical force in the accounting department of any of the government yards or stations.

To and From the Tacoma

The following officers have been detached and ordered to the Tacoma: Ensign A. B. Montgomery from the Constellation.

Ensign E. O. Robinson from the New Jersey.

Ensign G. W. L. Hewlett detached the Tacoma to duty New Jersey.

Contracts Awarded

Awards for the construction of the three submarines were made at the navy department today. Two of them will be built by the Electric Boat Company at a contract price of \$535,000 each. The third will be built in some navy yard. Detail working plans and license to construct being purchased from the Lake Torpedo Boat Company.

BOYS HELD FOR HIGH COURT

Are Sent to Industrial School
to Await Trial.

John Reed and Everett McDonald on two complaints of breaking and entering were before Judge Torres in the juvenile court today and each held for the superior court in April in the sum of \$1,500 each. They were unable to get bail and were sent to the state industrial school at Manchester to await the action of the high court. McDonald already has a suspended sentence from the superior court for the same offense.

HIS FIRST VISIT.

Liquor Inspector Hallisey,
Newly Appointed, Makes
Night Trip in Saloon
District.

Liquor Inspector J. D. Hallisey of Nashua, lately appointed to the position, succeeding Inspector Richardson, made his first visit to this city on Wednesday where he made a night call in several of the saloons. Today he left this city for Dover.

Inspector Hallisey was a candidate for postmaster at Nashua, and the Democrats of that city got the surprise of their lives when Congressman Stevens landed another man, which caused no small amount of feeling among the backers of Hallisey.

Senator Hollis and Congressman Stevens, however, got together and with Governor Pelker closed the breach and brought peace to the political camp.

GIRLS' CLUB NOTES

The Embroidery class will meet at 7.30 tonight. The reading from Walsill Baxter will be continued. Miss Margaret McEvoy and Miss Gertrude Long will be the hostesses. A large attendance is desired.

Friday night at Freeman's Annex from 8 to 12 will be held an invitation dancing party under the auspices of the Girls' Club. The advisory board will act as patronesses. Come and have a good time. The proceeds of this dance will go towards delegates expenses to New York in May.

The club at its last business meeting voted to send four delegates to the New York Convention. The money for the purpose to be raised outside the running expenses.

Sunday afternoon from 4 to 4.30, club members and their friends have a treat in store for them. At that time a musical will be given. Miss Wiggin will be in charge of the rooms.

The luncheon ordinarily given on Monday, will be given Tuesday of next week. The change is made on account of the holiday. The Gymnastic class will also meet on Tuesday evening at the usual time.

Much credit is due Mrs. Leon Chauvelot of New York city who so ably coached and managed the play "Rosemary". Mrs. Chauvelot worked unceasingly in the club's behalf, and made it financially what it was.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Mrs. Hannah O'Keefe will be held from the church of the Immaculate Conception Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

On every hand words of sympathy pour out for the bereaved family of P. M. Robinson. His death was a shock to the entire community.

ANXIOUS TO HAVE WORK BEGIN

Board of Trade Requests
Mayor Yeaton to Make In-
quiries as to New
Armory.

Mayor Harry B. Yeaton has received the following letter from Frederick M. Sise clerk of the Portsmouth Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange:

"During the session of the 1913 legislature the Portsmouth Board of Trade and Merchants' Exchange endeavored in all possible ways to further the appropriation for an armory to be built in Portsmouth and owing to the efforts of our delegation, \$15,000 was appropriated for the purpose. The deed from the city to the state for the site was delivered the latter part of December and under the terms of the appropriation, the money became available January 3, and work to be started previous to July 1 of the present year. I believe nothing has been done toward drawing plans or making a preliminary survey for the work and I write to ask if you cannot enter into communication with Governor Pelker and ascertain what progress is being made toward the fulfillment of the act appropriating the money for the armory."

AYERS.

Will descendants of either Thomas Ayers, Mark Ayers or Edward Ayers, Portsmouth, 1685-1715, please write me to help trace family. E. V. Wilson, Athol, Mass.

GIRLS' CLUB DANCE.

The invitation dancing party will be held in Freeman's annex from 8 to 12. Club members will be admitted without invitations. Tickets, 25c.

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